FROM: Dr. Herman M. Aqua 487 Bennett Street Luzerne, Penna. 18709

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any help or clues will be gratefully appreciated. Please file for future reference.

% of Civil War Store Card and Patriotic Tokens isted below are in gen uncirculated or proof undition. All Puld numbers.

Connecticut -- included 600 B -- Total 8 tokens.

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Idaho City - 360 A - Miners Browery and Bakery

2016 -- all morehants included in Scilection SCOSFT: 35a, 1604-6-2, 1754 - 4, 2008, 3004, 3450 - 0, 3550, 6154, 7354, 70604, 9758 - 0, 1000 - 1000

Rarities included: 5A - white metal 5A - SILVER 115A - Incused - I HAVE PHOTO 100A - copper nicket - UNIQUE 120B - zinc - PROBABLY IS UNIC 165N - incused I HAVE PHOTO 125B - copper nickel -PROBABLY UNIQUE 165V - MRITE HETAL 165AD - zine

16501 - R9, BRASS, SLIGHTLY RUSTED blank) UNLISTED, HAVE PHOTO.

185% incused I HAVE FROTO
165% HIGHS 185% HIGHS
105M "22m" one shave" (raverse
"75% UP 12 HARD SCHEMEL.
1650% - bases unlisted netal
1650% - copper nickel - 80 stal
16 165DU - R9 165EF - white netal R9 165EF - white netal R9 165EF - bruss, R9 -unlisted netal 175G - copper nickel - unlisted metal 1862* STRUCK OVER 1862 COPPER TOKEN W43 LISTED IN TAKS JOURNAL

ONL ORDER, WOOD, NAW PROTO, "NOW WE LAKED IN TAX JOHN L.

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Total number of pieces of Chio tokene -- 808

Penneylvania -- From 750U to 967A -- all merchants included in this group were in collection.

Rarities: 765E - copper nickel 750S - SILVER 765M - inquaed

potal of pieces in Pennsylvania collection -- 68

Rhode Island -- all merchants included EXCEPT 700B

Raritios: 7004- mickel 750B-COPPER NICKEL 7508- MRITE MOTAL 7505- 1801UDES LEAD AND SILVER 7501- 0040 FLATED

750D -NICKEL 750D - UNLISTED SILVER 750H- BRASSOBELIEVED UNIQU

gotal Rhode Island tokens in collection -- 24 pieces

Rare Coins

Stolen From Dentist Home

Dr. Herman Aqua's Forty Fort House Entered by Thieves

Indiana - Collection includes from 5 A to 570 H inclusive , EXCEPT the following merchants: 165A, 230C, 250A, 260B, 280A, 305A, 320A, 130C, 195A, 5003-0, 530F, 570B-D.

Rarities include: 460A in silver (unique) 230A R9 430G R9 500A-H R9 rked "25" 570H -holed

Massachusetts - 530A - 2 pieces - 1 copper, 1 nickel 970A - 2 pieces - 1 copper, 1 brass Total number of Hassachusetts pieces stolen - 4

thican - all morehants listed in Puld were in this group EXCEPT: 600, 135A, 2251 -87-82-00, 2508-P, 2800-0, 450A-D-F-J-N, 480A, 525A, 527B-D, 745B, 615B, 865A, 920A.

Rarities included: Reritus included: 225E - sinc 225M - sinc 25G - linc 225M - sinc 2

New York - all merchants included EXCEPT the following 6: 950, 6300 - R - AMa - AZ.

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550% - SILVER 5507 - SILVER 5508 - SILVER 5507 - STRUCK OVER U.S. QUARTER -- UNTO 5508 - copper nickel over cent 5508 - copper nickel over cent 6508 - GENERAL SILVER -- UNEW SILDON OFFEREN TO COLLECTORS -- UNIVERSITY OF COLLECT 2005 - copper sided over eart \$300 - silver plated
2005 - copper sided over eart \$300 - silver plated
2004 - silver complex - regress silver silver plated
2004 - silver content over eart 6000 - silver plated
2006 - silver silver plated
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2006 - silver silver plated
2006 - silver silv

Approximate number of New York off-metal tokens including White metal, nickel, copper nickel, etc. - 60

Total number of New York pieces stolen was 482

MISSING ARE 600 B-(3): 600E -(1); 600F -(2); and one 600B-Tennessee---

Total in Tennessee collection - 6 picces

Nest Virginia -- all merchants included, ALMOST ALL BRIGHT UNCIRCULATED

Total pieces in West Virginia collection -- 28

Wieconsin -- All numbers included EXCEPT: 50A, 70A, 300P, 410G, 510D, 510G, 510J, 520C, 550A-B-C, 590A, 790A, 920H.

SIGG - MAS COUNTERMARKED WITH MAN'S HAMS, PICTURE TOKEN HAD BEEN IN GOTH WORLD AND CAN'RE VENTPLED IF CM TOKEN TUENS OF. SIGAR - 3 TOKENS, BARM STRUKE O'DS PARTROTIC TOKENS

Total of Wisconsin tokens -- 200 pieces

PATRIOTIC CIVIL WAR TOKENS -- some of the rerities are:

1/198 - nickel 1/229- nickel; whitefeetal; SILVER 1/360 - nickel 1/391 ewhite netal; lead; SILVER 1/229 -=Cliver plated ©POSSIBLY UNIQUE 2/270

16 - Inclused | 16/333 | 16/378 | 1/32 | 16/378 | 1/32 | 16/378 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 1/32 | 37/434 - <u>silver</u> 46/335 - copper nickel 47/332 - copper nickel, white metal 51/179 - UNIQUE

56/229 - COPPER NICK I OVER CENT AND WRITE METAL 56/436 - copper nicks! and white metal

58/199 - White metal 71/473 - brass, rooded edge 79/351 - LEAD-UNIQUE

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91/435 - brass and couper blackel 92/119 - brass 96/116 - copper and brass 97/389 - silver plated 105/198 - brass 107/107 - incused brass and nickel H and G 499 - BLANK UNIQUE 105/199- white metal 105/199- white metal
108/201 - copper pickel, white
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TUAL PHOTO OF THIS TOKEN.
CORNER OF TOREN. I ALSO 115/166 - LEAD. THIS IS AN IDES FULD'S 3rd EDITION (REVISED 1965 FFERE IS A LARDS DOUBS OUT OF UI HAVE A PROTO OF THE TOKEN. 116/129 - White metal Higher white seal 117/20 - Silve Over U.B. Die 117/20 - Silve Over U.B. Di 116/153 - brass 117/420- SILVER OVER U.S. DINE 120/255 - SILVER 25/29k - silver plated, POSSIBLY UNIQUE 25/29k - nickel, copper nickel, German 25/217 - copper nickel, German 20/282 - white metal 35/499 - bras 37/395 - silver plated, POSSIBLY UNIQUE 40/404 - incused S silver 127/201 - nickel 128/289 - German silver 1314/349A 136/397 - lead - UNIQUE 13/7/57 - white metal 13/7/55 - eller plated -rog 18th terms | 13/7/55 - cold plated | 13/7/57 - cold 138/256 - silver plated -POSS-IBLY UNIQUE 193.Myrd white metal
202.MyrDelTMFED COING... The following 2.1 believe to be unique, so if they
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MILITARY TOKENS ... 2 books

SUTTLER TOKENS... 1 book; included was 1 UNIQUE token listed in TAMS

JOURNAL..."AT BRANKS" ...25%. PENNSYLVANIA SESQUI-CENTENNIAL AND COIN CLUB ISSUE TOKENS AND MEDALS... NISOELLANDONS TOKENS OF ALL TEPES... Talephone, Medical, Personal Tokens Issued by colloctors, Boyd's Battary type (5 different), Dental tokens (1 issued by Boston Dentist).

AFFER. . about 6 pieces of Sullar notes; about 20 pieces of Pennsylvania Merchants all Civil N. dated (including R. N. 8805MAKER, an unlisted notes); 2 81 bills. Not dated (including Company Listen Pende Company Licket in Pende 6 of Library Disky Grandham; Pittston Pende Company Licket is auded for Library Disky Grandham; 1807 (7 passenger Lickets issued in Oklahoma Territory and Indian Perfectory. about 6 places.

NUMBER OF PIECES IN COLLECTION HISSING -- TOTAL OF CIVIL WAR STORE
CARDS AND PATRICTICS --- 2655 pieces TRANSPORTATION TOKENS - AN EXTREMELY LARGE AND ALMOST COMPLETE
COLLECTION OF PERNSYLVANIA T.T.'s HOUSED IN ABOUT 10 BOOKS.
SOME OF THE BETTER TOKENS INCLUDED WERE:
65A 315A 65A 195AD 315A 405A (somewhat demaged) 495 A,B 525A 745D 750A,B 765E, J. L. Q. R. S. T 770A (only 2 known - FITTSTON, PENNA.) 770B 315A 195 A, B, C 750A, B, K, L, H, R, AC, AD, AE, AT U. S. TRANSPORTATION TOKERS - ABOUT 2500 --- ALL IN 2x2 ENVELOPES. THERE PARKING TOKENS - PENNSYLVANTA ONLY -- 1 ROOK FROMETABLE MERCHANT CREEK CHEMISTRY.... showls 1500 difference Percept valls september towers, deally from Learnes and Leadewater, county mostly saloon cheeks, I was writing a book on these with precise of these are and you or a kind, and I aim identify them. These were in about 15 books. There are very faw collectors of these, and 2/3 of these tokens were read or plants. PROGRAM NUML ATOMS CARRYS... shows 2 Or of these were in 2 books. The Children's are influent. I have puber of the the, and they have all been written up and jettured in the TAKS JOHNSAN DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM PROGRAM

C. MAXWELL

G. MAXWELL Agent Milkes Barre (STRUCK OVER LARGE WELL-MORN ENGLISH FENNY ABOUT 1801) (PHOTO AVAILABLE) HARD-TIMES TOKENS ... 3 books; listing available.

ERIC P. NEWMAN NUMISMATIC EDUCATION SOCIETY

6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis 5, Missouri

Aurust 20, 1968

Dr. Herman M. Aqua 487 Bennett Street Luzerne, Penna. 18709

Dear Dr. Aqua:

I, like many others, are very distillusioned at the extent of coin burcleries. I am sorry you lost such a lovely collection of Civil Tar Tokens and Store Cards. I will, of course, contact you if I obtain any information.

In 196h my home as burglarized and there was taken my large collection of Civil ar Store Cards and mre-Civil War Store Cards. Fortunately, my Patriotic Civil ar Tolens had been previously put in the bank and were not taken and my Ward Times Tokens were similarly not available to be stolen. My collection of Missouri Store Cards, both Civil ar and pre-Civil ar had been put away and were not taken. The best group of Divil War Store Cards which I lost was the Illinois group and were probably the best collection next to the Fuld collection. Wone of the items taken from me have ever been located.

Did you buy any of your store cards since 1964? It seems highly unlikely that any of my pieces ended up in your hands because I did not lose any of my Civil War Patriotics.

If you have any thoughts on any of the foregoing I would appreciate hearing from.

Sincerely yours,

ERIC P. NEWMAN NUMISMATIC EDUCATION SOCIETY

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HERMAN M. AQUA, D.D.S. 487 BENNETT STREET LUZERNE, PA. 18709

TELEPHONE 288-3400 (AREA CODE 717) 8/24/68

John Mr. newwan, Jan letter of 8/20 recent. Du begand. the desillusored stage - In downight descented at the noember of effort of buglans occurry at the prent Time on poster that there we som "agreetable" dealers involed acting as forces to get the stuff book auto logitimit collectors hands. Why me esperalle grap (FBI Secut seure) dient get dans to bream + pul ast what the hell is ging in , is certain, begin inc. It is pede to be high, organish, from All the exporter I can gother.

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ERIC P. NEWMAN NUMISMATIC EDUCATION SOCIETY

6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis 5, Missouri

August 23, 1968

Dr. Herman M. Aqua 487 Bennett Street Luzerne, Penna. 18709

Dear Br. Aqua:

Thank you for your letter with respect to the burglary problem. You are very right in stating that "respectable" dealers are acting as fences. This is the only way the situation can continue at its aggravated rate. It is impossible for so many dealers to make a living out of collectors, legitimately.

Do you have a complete list of the Illinois pieces which were stolen? I need this complete list to checkbecause I can easily tell if a group of them were mine. If so, it is terribly important to find out the dealers from whom they were acquired.

Will you be kind enough to give me your cooperation in that respect!

Sincerely yours,

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HERMAN M. AQUA, D.D.S. 487 BENNETT STREET LUZERNE, PA. 18709

TELEPHONE 288-3400 (AREA CODE 717) 8/31/68

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you letter of 8/28 recent. Ill lat

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listed in Jull's glats [1863 + Fig. eggs]

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Also: - Die BA (see Full) CMarked GA & 1 stra ail \$150 pon \$" , , . . " Hew + 5/4 " AP .. " · F.G. The above 3 and 150 AM - AP + AR organ sall come from Ken Trobaugh, (a feel hourt).

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pour all but The first gage lat, - almost all hat a few Comer four Jaypus atte t the rest were acquired in 62-63 find. a lodi tetu was up p weeting by Sand Seet, of Ihm Rock, PA. I hid by Derze Richer of Mich. - I tradel line frit, & sufsequette I tested it of presently dee last reall nowpointly went to that think, but not sure Set, he had me good Ill. tetur - In met hun, & franchen is lightonite - over

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HERMAN M. AQUA. D.D.S. LUZERNE, PA. 18709 TELEPHONE 288-3400 Ent Kreisty 150 AK - Une reded & plan style 150 AN - XF 152) AR Bris - All 150 BD VF 1505 WM Luc 150 V - 2 pues unc 1504 - All (Most Die som an VG-F) 472A - Wyn fran & Copparatel all use 615 A - appaniche 3 quies allune 670 A copper-copper mill -all By B - cym(elgind plantet)
butter light of I from 676D - copen auto spotche une Coffee moder une mil 670 E copper coppe. Nichel Une 762 A XF + UNC 1863+1864 + a few ortuns

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